

(b) if so, to what extent we are lagging behind to achieve this target so far;

(c) whether this target would be achieved by the end of 2007; and

(d) if not, whether India has sent any proposal to World Health Organization to extend this period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

(d) India has not sent any proposal to World Health Organisation. Currently the effort is to make India polio free as early as possible.

### **Rush of outsider patients in AIIMS**

†517. SHRI MANGANI LAL MANDAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that due to lack of proper treatment of patients on time and within stipulated time-limit, the reliability of All India Institute of Medical Science (AIIMS) situated at New Delhi, has come under suspicion;

(b) whether it is a fact that patients suffering from various diseases come to AIIMS in large numbers for treatment from several State bordering Delhi including Assam, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the plan of Government for its improvement and streamlining in the changing scenario?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMDOSS): (a) to (d) According to AIIMS, the Institute is providing medical care and emergency care to patients who come for treatment. On an average, 7000 patients are attending OPD daily. People from other State also access AIIMS for treatment of various diseases. The number of patients hailing from different States admitted in AIIMS during the last three years are furnished in the Statement (See below). Apart from augmenting the facilities at AIIMS for meeting the increased workload, the Government

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† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

has launched Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana under which six AIIMS like Institutes are being set up in underserved States of Bihar, Rajasthan, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Uttaranchal and Orissa.

### **Statement**

*State-wise break up of admitted patients for the last three years in All India Institute of Medical Sciences*

States	2003-04	2004-2005	2005-2006
Uttar Pradesh	11770	12863	14132
Haryana	9019	9058	9437
Bihar	4946	5840	6376
Rajasthan	1356	1548	1445
Punjab	722	689	613
Other States	5909	6556	7030
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>33722</b>	<b>36554</b>	<b>39033</b>

### **Trauma centres in the National Highways**

518. SHRI K. CHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the existing trauma care centres along the national highways are inadequate to cater to the increasing requirements;

(b) if so, the details of number of trauma care centres along side NHs in the country, State-wise;

(c) whether there is any proposal to increase the number of the centres; and

(d) if so, the details of the locations considered for the same, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (d) Health being a